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# S. CON. RES. 89

Authorizing Frank Woodruff Buckles to lie in honor in the rotunda of the  
Capitol upon his death.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 11, 2008

Mr. BURR (for himself, Mr. BYRD, Mr. SPECTER, Mr. CRAIG, Mrs. DOLE, and  
Mr. ISAKSON) submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was  
referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration

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## CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

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rotunda of the Capitol upon his death.

Whereas the veterans of the First World War fought bravely  
and made heroic sacrifices for the Allied forces; and

Whereas past resolutions have sought authorization for  
American heroes to lie in honor in the rotunda of the  
Capitol upon an individual's passing, it is the Nation's  
collective desire to express its gratitude for the service of  
all World War I veterans by making it known to that  
war's last American survivor the honor it wishes to be-  
stow on him before he passes: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives*  
2   *concurring),*

1 **SECTION 1. HONORING FRANK WOODRUFF BUCKLES.**

2 (a) IN GENERAL.—In recognition of the historic con-  
3 tributions of United States veterans who served in the  
4 First World War, Frank Woodruff Buckles, the last sur-  
5 viving United States veteran of the First World War, shall  
6 be permitted to lie in honor in the rotunda of the Capitol  
7 upon his death, so that the citizens of the United States  
8 may pay their last respects to this great American.

9 (b) IMPLEMENTATION.—The Architect of the Capitol,  
10 under the direction and supervision of the President pro  
11 tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of  
12 Representatives, shall take the necessary steps to imple-  
13 ment subsection (a).

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